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Subject: Microsoft Settlement

Microsoft is singularly responsible for me buying 5 computers and a lot of software over the last 15 years. This benefited Microsoft but also the computer makers and many software companies besides Microsoft Without Microsoft providing LOW COST and user friendly software, I and millions of others wouldn't even be using computers today.

Now the government inspired by Microsoft competitors and politicians from their states wants to punish the company that built our great high tech system. Certainly Microsoft has a monopoly but only because their competitors could not compete. Ask Me I know. I tried to buy other operating systems and there were no good ones available and there was nothing available for anywhere near the price of windows. When is the government going to tell these complainers to build better products and they wouldn't have to worry?

All this from a guy who doesn't even like Microsoft, but lets be fair, they did a hell of a job and don't deserve the screw job the government is providing.

Please settle and let the world move on.

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